

Introduced by Senator Lieu
(Principal coauthor: Assembly Member Bonilla)

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An act to amend Sections 4928 and 4934 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to the Acupuncture Board.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1246, as introduced, Lieu. The Acupuncture Board.

Existing law provides for the licensure and regulation of the practice of acupuncture by the Acupuncture Board, within the Department of Consumer Affairs. Existing law authorizes the board, with the approval of the Director of Consumer Affairs, to employ personnel necessary to administer the Acupuncture Licensure Act. Existing law repeals these provisions on January 1, 2015.

This bill would extend the operation of those provisions until January 1, 2019.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 4928 of the Business and Professions
- 2 Code is amended to read:
- 3 4928. (a) The Acupuncture Board, which consists of seven
- 4 members, shall enforce and administer this chapter.
- 5 ~~This~~
- 6 (b) ~~This~~ section shall remain in effect only until January 1, ~~2015~~
- 7 ~~2019~~, and as of that date is repealed, unless a later enacted statute,

1 that is enacted before January 1, ~~2015~~ 2019, deletes or extends
2 that date.

3 ~~Notwithstanding~~

4 (c) ~~Notwithstanding~~ any other ~~provision of~~ law, the repeal of
5 this section renders the board subject to review by the appropriate
6 policy committees of the Legislature.

7 SEC. 2. Section 4934 of the Business and Professions Code is
8 amended to read:

9 4934. (a) The board, by and with the approval of the director,
10 may employ personnel necessary for the administration of this
11 ~~chapter, and the chapter.~~ The board, by and with the approval of
12 the director, may appoint an executive officer who is exempt from
13 the provisions of the State Civil Service Act (Part 2 (commencing
14 with Section 18500) of Division 5 of Title 2 of the Government
15 Code).

16 (b) This section shall remain in effect only until January 1, ~~2015~~
17 2019, and as of that date is repealed, unless a later enacted statute,
18 that is enacted before January 1, ~~2015~~ 2019, deletes or extends
19 that date.